

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: International Application PCT/EP00/07942
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Title Cathether with Improved Electrical Properties, as well as an Apparatus and a Treatment Method for Improving Electrical Properties of Catheters
Applicant Axel Muntermann
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Preliminary Amendment

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed herewith is a Substitute Specification together with a "Version with Markings to show Changes Made".

Remarks

This Preliminary Amendment removes multiple dependencies in the claims as presented in the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report. Please calculate the Filing Fee according to this Preliminary Amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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